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The reply filed on July 25, 2001 (paper no. 4) and the amendment filed on August 28, 2001 are not fully responsive to the restriction reqirement (paper no. 3) because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant has not indicated an ultimate species for each layer of elected claim 1. Also, applicant has not indicated a list of claims which read upon the elected species.

See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment.

EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Should you have any questions concerning this communication, please direct them to Dawn Garrett at 703-305-0788. The examiner can be reached at this number from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm E.S.T. Monday-Thursday and alternate Fridays. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone prove unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Cynthia Kelly, can be reached at 703-308-0449. Please allow the examiner twenty-four hours to return your call.

The fax numbers for Art Unit 1774 are 703-305-3599 for official after-final faxes, and 703-305-5408 for all other official faxes.

Any inquiry of a general nature, or those relating to the status of this application should be directed to the group receptionist whose telephone number is 703-308-2351.

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